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NEW MIGHTY TV COMIC

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TOM and JERRY
Merry Christmas
to all our readers!
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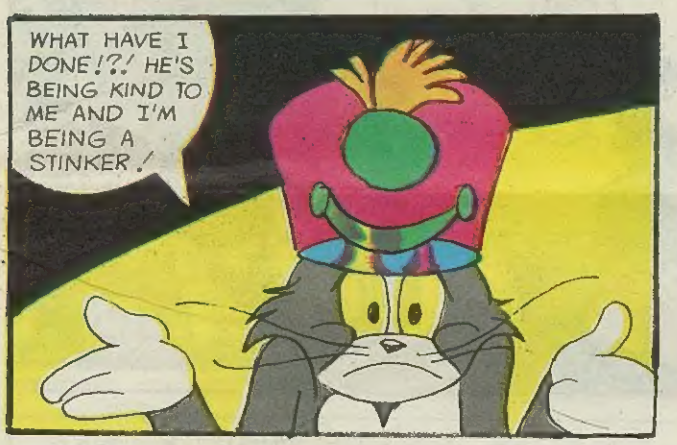

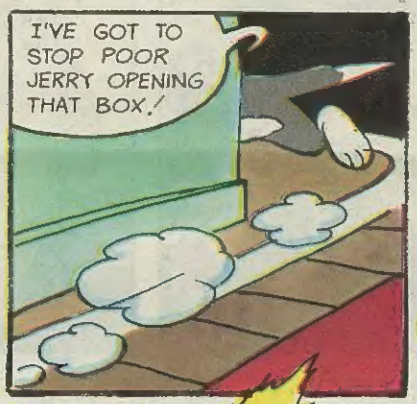

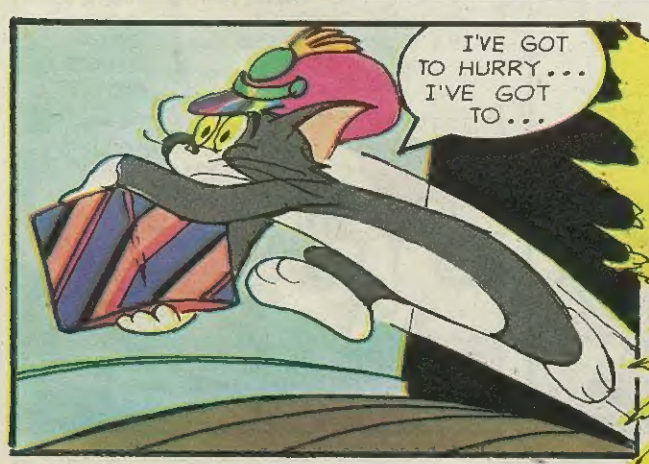

YOU CAN HAVE CHRISTMAS DINNER WITH ME... AND WE'LL BE FRIENDS THIS YEAR... BUT REMEMBER NEXT YEAR IS IN SEVEN DAYS TIME!
PEACE ON EARTH AND GOODWILL TO ALL MEN + MICE
HAPPY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!

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POPEYE

HIRING THIS SANTA CLAUS COSTUME TO WEAR AT OLIVE'S PARTY'LL ADD A TOUCH OF THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT TO THE FESTIVITIES! *ARF! ARF!*

SHUCKS! A GUG-GOSK!

O WOE, WOE, WOE!

I AIN'T WOEIN'! I'M GOIN'. 'SCUSE ME OR I'LL BE LATE FOR THE PARTY!

NOBODY EVER INVITES ME TO A PARTY! THEY NEVER STOP LONG ENOUGH TO WISH ME A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

WHAT D'YER EXPECT WHEN YOU GO AROUND MOANIN' AN' GROANIN'! THIS IS THE TIME OF GOOD CHEER!

YOU'D MOAN AND GROAN TOO IF YOU WERE LEFT OUT IN THE COLD LIKE US CHRISTMAS SPIRITS!

TELL YAH WHAT, IF YOU PROMISES NOT TO MOAN OR GROAN YOU CAN COME TO OLIVE'S PARTY WITH ME!

I PROMISE!

MERRY CHRISTMAS, FOLKS! MIND IF I BRING A FRIEND OF MINE IN, OLIVE ?

SURE, POPEYE! DOES HE KNOW ANY SPOOKY GHOST STORIES ?

ARF! ARF! I RECKON HE OUGHT TO! HE IS ONE!

HELP!

ARGH!

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA ? COME ON BACK ALL OF YOU !

NOT UNTIL THAT GHOST HAS GONE!

FAREWELL, FRIEND! I KNOW WHEN I'M NOT WANTED!

DON'T YOU GO DISAPPEARIN' TOO! I HAS AN IDEA!

I HOPE THEY WILL NOT SEE THROUGH YOUR IDEA TO DRESS ME UP AS SANTA!

NOT A GOSK OF A CHANCE! *ARF! ARF!*

THE GOSK HAS GONE! IT'S PRESENT TIME! SANTA CLAUS IS HERE!

THANK YOU, SANTA. NOW I'M GOING TO GIVE YOU SOMETHING — A GREAT BIG KISS!

THAT'S THE SPIRICK! ***MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY!***

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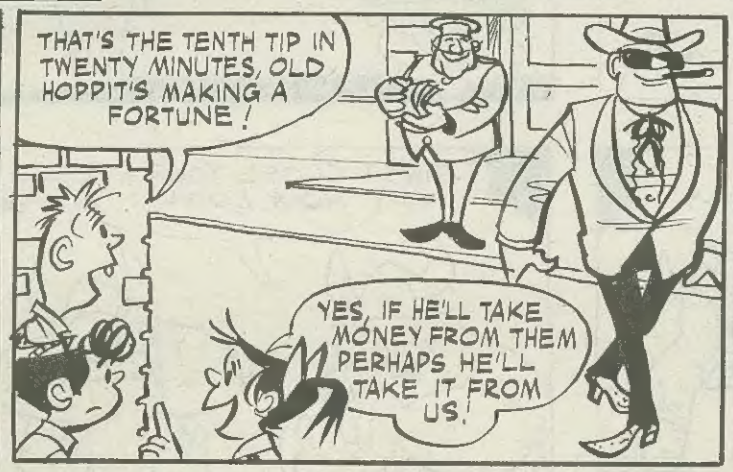
TV Terrors

ON TV TONIGHT
A CHRISTMAS PARTY WITH THE STARS!
I'M DOING FINE HERE, EVERYTIME A CELEBRITY LEAVES I GET A TIP! AND THEY'RE LEAVING BY THE DOZEN!

GIVE THE CHARMING FELLOW SOMETHING, HAROLD!
ALL READY AND WAITING, MADAM... THANK YOU, SIR!
CERTAINLY, DEAR... HERE YOU ARE, HOPPIT!

THANK YOU VERY MUCH, SIR!
PLEASURE, MACK!

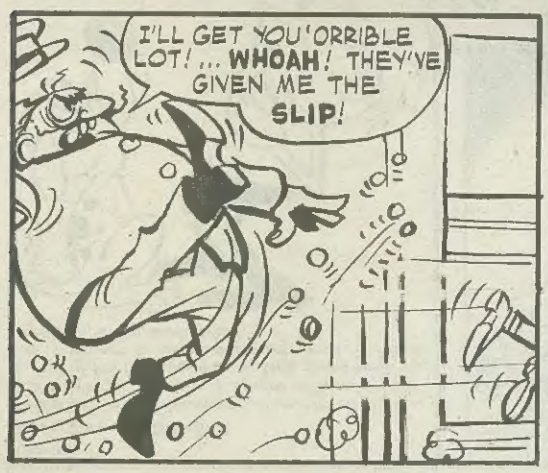

THAT'S THE TENTH TIP IN TWENTY MINUTES, OLD HOPPIT'S MAKING A FORTUNE!
YES, IF HE'LL TAKE MONEY FROM THEM PERHAPS HE'LL TAKE IT FROM US!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, HE'LL TAKE MONEY FROM US?... WE'RE BROKE!
WELL, WE DON'T HAVE TO GIVE HIM ANY MONEY EXACTLY, WITH THESE PEPPER MINT BALLS WE CAN BRIBE HOPPIT TO LET US INTO THE CHRISTMAS PARTY!

THIS SHOULD DO THE TRICK, HOPPIT'S A SUCKER FOR SWEETS!

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS GIFT FOR CHRISTMAS, AND LET US INTO THE TV PARTY!
I, HOPPIT, CANNOT BE BRIBED! YOU SHALL NOT ENTER! HOPPIT!

COME BACK HERE!
WELL, WE'RE GOING IN ANYWAY! AND YOU CAN HAVE THE SWEETS!


I'LL GET YOU 'ORRIBLE LOT!... WHOAH! THEY'VE GIVEN ME THE SLIP!

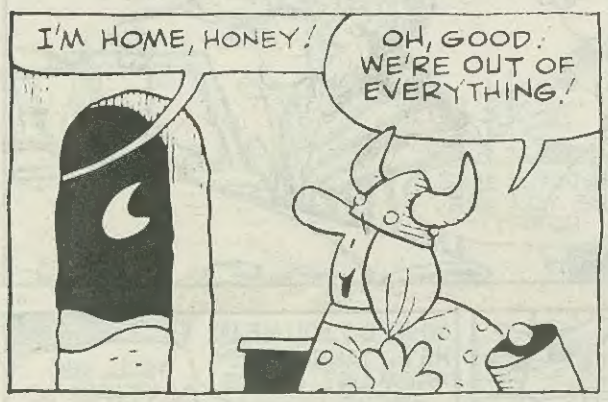
SORRY, SAM!
GOT TO GO NOW, SAM!
DEAR ME, IF MANY MORE PEOPLE LEAVE, THE TV AUDIENCE WILL WONDER WHAT'S GOING ON! I'VE GOT TO GET MORE EXTRAS!

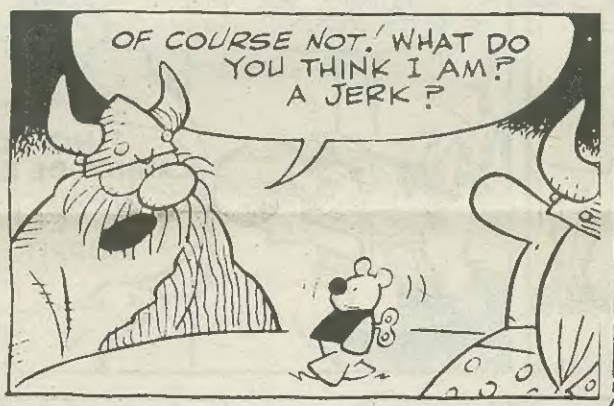
TV PARTY
WHERE ARE THOSE TERRORS?

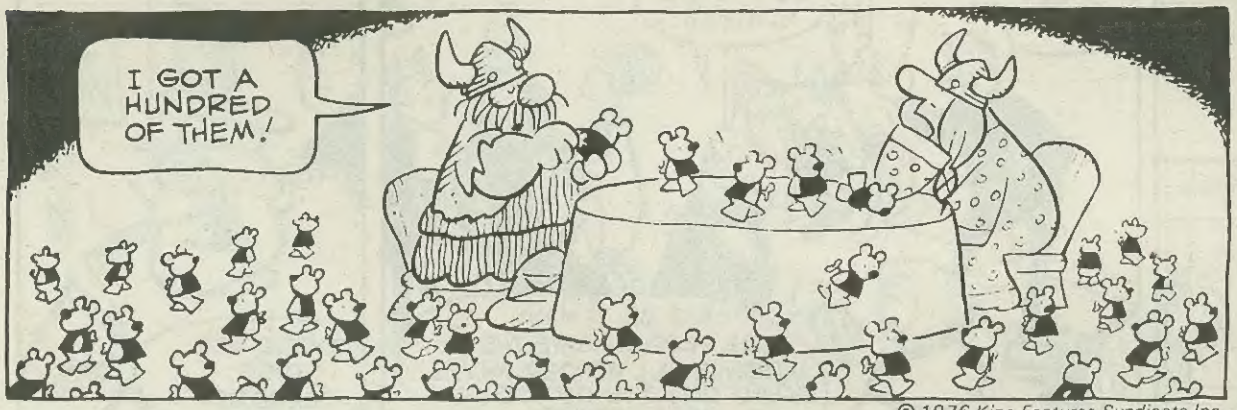
EXCUSE ME, I WONDER IF YOU PEOPLE WOULD MIND JOINING THE PARTY, I WILL BE QUITE HAPPY TO PAY YOU FOR YOUR TROUBLE!
WHAT?
I'LL SAY WE WILL... IT'D BE A PLEASURE!

A FREE PARTY LIKE THIS, AND WE'RE BEING PAID FOR IT!
IT'S EVEN BETTER THAN BEING TIPPED OUTSIDE ON DUTY! HAPPY CHRISTMAS!
YOU TOO, HOPPIT!

HÄGAR THE HORRIBLE







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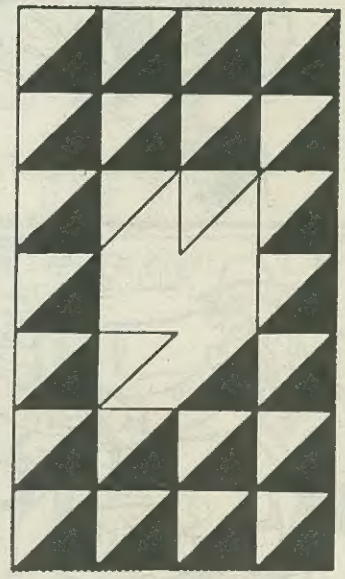
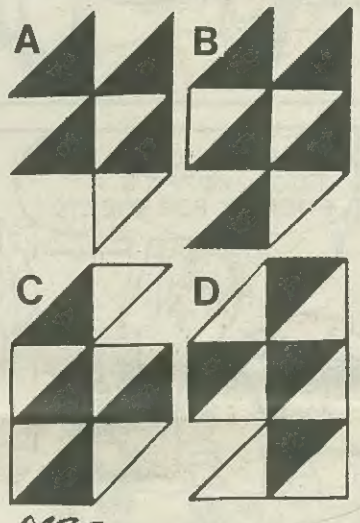
PUZZLE CORNER 1

One of the small designs — A, B, C, or D — fits exactly into the empty space in the large design at the top but which of the four?



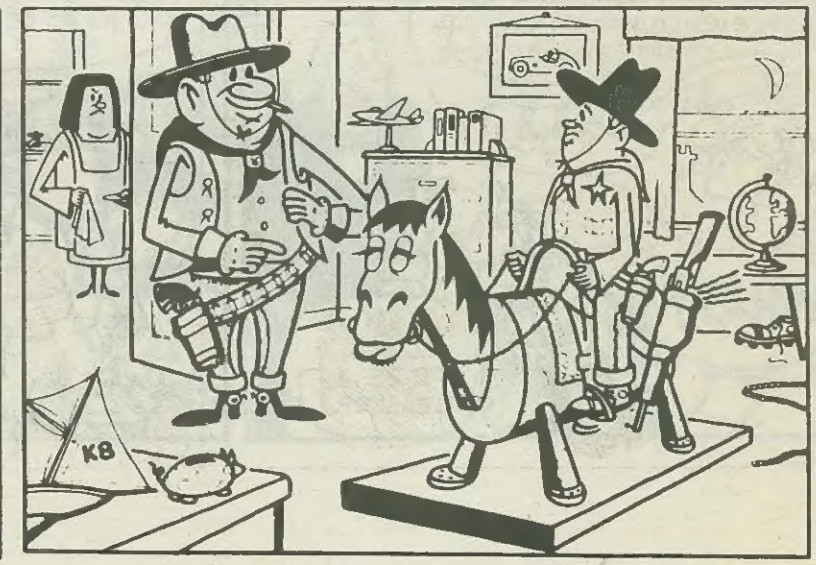


ANSWERS:
Puzzle Corner 1: Design B
Puzzle Corner 2: 1. Woman's dress closed higher. 2: Man's cigar is longer. 3: Finger on Man's hand. 4: Tail of pig (money-box). 5: One more book on top of cabinet. 6: Car in picture on wall. 7: Boy's right arm. 8: Window frame.

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you find 8 things different in the right hand picture below?

PUZZLE CORNER 2



MIGHTY MOTH

TOYS

I THOUGHT YOU'D ORDERED IT!
AND I THOUGHT YOU'D ORDERED IT!

WHAT A TIME TO RUN OUT OF COAL!
FINE CHRISTMAS WE'LL HAVE!
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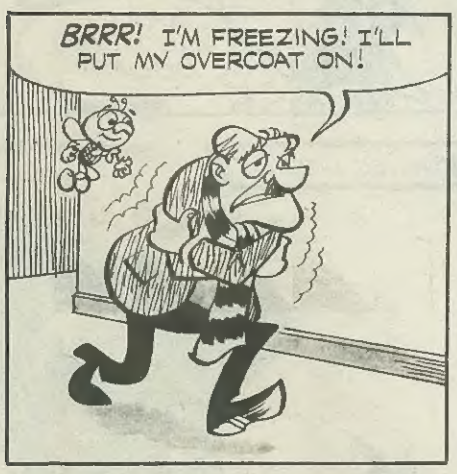
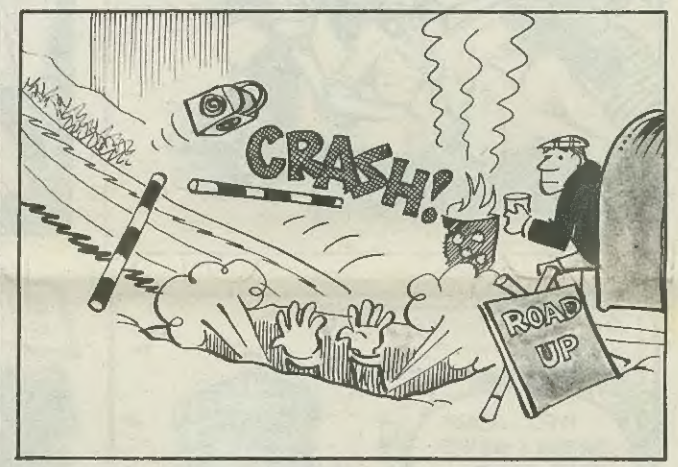

BRRR! I'M FREEZING! I'LL PUT MY OVERCOAT ON!

I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN! THAT MOTH'S EATEN IT!

I'LL GET YOU FOR THAT, PEST!
I'M OFF!

SKID!

YA! I CAN'T STOP!


CRASH!
ROAD UP

YOU ALL RIGHT, GUV?
HE'LL BE OKAY, WE'LL WARM HIM UP BY YOUR BRAZIER!

HUH! WISH I WAS HOME WITH MY FAMILY INSTEAD OF SITTING HERE ON MY OWN!

I HAVE AN IDEA! WE'LL LOOK AFTER THE HOLE AND YOU CAN GO HOME!
THAT'S VERY NICE OF YOU!

I'LL FETCH MA AND ALL THE CHRISTMAS GOODIES!

THANKS TO MIGHTY MOTH WE CAN HAVE A WARM AND HAPPY CHRISTMAS!
TOASTED TWEED

Dr Who

Returning to Earth, The Tardis nearly collides with a large object that splashes down in the Pacific Ocean. Meanwhile, the Doctor crash-lands the Tardis on an isolated atoll — a coral island. But while he and Sarah-Jane Smith survey the beach . . .

SUFFERING SATELLITES! A TIDAL WAVE — CAUSED BY TOUCHDOWN IMPACT OF WHATEVER NEARLY HIT US IN SPACE!

WE'LL NEVER GET BACK UP THE CLIFF IN TIME. BUT IF YOU HAVEN'T ANY BRIGHT IDEAS, I'VE ONE...

HARDLY, YOUNG LADY! YOU'LL BE SWEPT DOWN FROM THERE LIKE MATCHWOOD!

DOCTOR — WAIT! LOOK... OOOH!

A CAVE — OVER THERE, IN THE CLIFF BASE. NOW WHO'S SILLY? COME ON...

IF WE CAN CLIMB UP INSIDE IT — OTHERWISE IT'LL BE A WATERY GRAVE. EITHER WAY, WE'VE NOTHING TO LOSE.

AND...

EXCELLENT! A CHIMNEY TO THE CLIFF TOP. THE WATER WON'T DRIVE UP THAT HIGH. NICE WORK SARAH — FOR A GIRL, OF COURSE!

LET'S HURRY! I CAN HEAR THE ROAR OF THAT GIANT WAVE!

MINUTES LATER...

AS THE MONSTER-WAVE SURGES PAST...

WELL DONE, SARAH! WE'RE SAFE — AND RIGHT BY THE TARDIS.

THE WAVE SWEPT OVER THE ISLAND — I HOPE NOTHING ELSE IS IN ITS WAY!

BUT NOT FAR AWAY...

THE MINESWEEPER — GLORY! SHE'S KEELING OVER!

RESCUE PARTY ON STAND-BY — THE MOMENT THE WAVE PASSES.

LATER...

I'VE SET UP A CRUDE RADIO TRANSMITTER, SARAH — TO WARN SHIPPING ABOUT THAT WAVE! AH! IT'S WORKING!

A SIGNAL, SIR — I'LL FIX A BEARING.

AND BEFORE LONG...

LOOKS LIKE WE'RE ABOUT TO BE RESCUED, DOCTOR — BY THE AMERICAN NAVY.

ON THE SEA-BED, THE MYSTERY OBJECT FROM SPACE MOVES UNCANNILY...

SURFACE MOVEMENT — EARTH CRAFT NEARING. ALPHA ALERT... PREPARE TO ATTACK...

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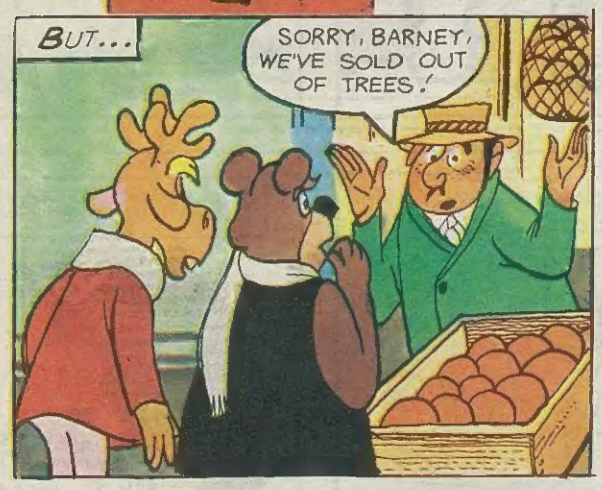
BARNEY BEAR



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STAR TREK

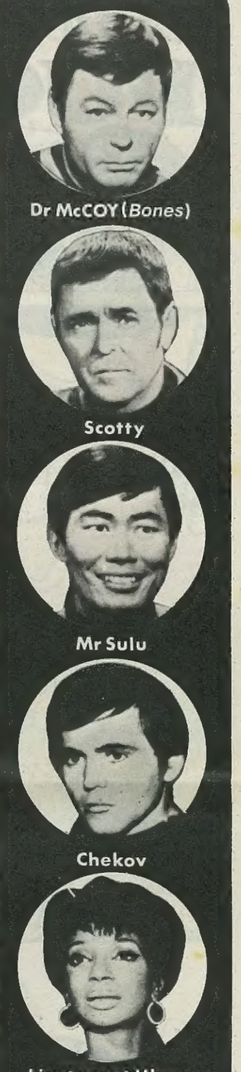
A strange planet, Metamorpha, has been found by the Enterprise scanners. Mr Spock has discovered that the planet is undergoing continuous changes in its chemistry and geography. Mountains spring from nowhere and trees grow in seconds! The presence of the priceless mineral, Tiantianium, has been detected and the Enterprise crew beam down in what they believe to be an area of geographic inactivity . . .

Mr Spock Captain James T. Kirk

'THE PERIL OF PLANET QUICK CHANCE'

THE SNUB OF A ROCK MASS THRUSTS UPWARD FROM THE EARTH'S CRUST...
WH-WHAT IN BLAZING BLUE COMETS IS THAT?
I BELIEVE IT IS A PEAK, DR. MCCOY... THE TOP OF A...
...MOUNTAIN!
SUDDENLY, THE CATACLYSMIC UPHEAVAL CEASES AND...
LOOK THERE...THE MOUNTAIN'S UPHEAVAL DISLODGED WHAT APPEARS TO BE MAN-MADE OBJECTS!
YES, CAPTAIN... APPARENTLY RUINS FROM A LONG-DEAD ALIEN CIVILIZATION!
NO WONDER THEY ARE LONG DEAD... TRYING TO EXIST ON THIS UNSTABLE PLANET!
ABRUPTLY, A STRANGE SOUND FILLS THE AIR...
BLOBS OF LIGHT EMERGING FROM THE RUINS!

THE LIGHT FORMS SWIRL TOWARD THE GROUP... LIKE INTELLIGENCE-DIRECTED THINGS THEY HOME IN ON KIRK AND ONE OF THE CREW...
TH-THEY'RE ATTACKING!
I'LL BLAST THEM WITH MY PHASER!
BUT THE BIZARRE ILLUMINATED FORMS, IMMUNE TO THE PHASER RAY, BOUNCE OFF OF THE PAIR...
THE PHASER SHOTS DIDN'T AFFECT THEM... BUT THEY'RE RETREATING FROM THE CAPTAIN AND CREWMAN JOHNSON! STRANGE...?
ZAP! ZAP!
THE ALIEN BLOBS OF LIGHT REGROUP ... AND AGAIN ATTACK...
BUT ONCE AGAIN, THE SIX GLOWING FORMS SHY AWAY...
THEY'RE LEAVING McCOY...NOW THEY'RE HEADING FOR SPOCK! WHAT ARE THEY AFTER? WHAT CAN THEY WANT?



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Follow this exciting adventure next week!

GREAT 4 WAY COMPETITION!

500 tickets to the Model Engineer Exhibition plus 500 series 1 AIRFIX MODELS TO BE WON!

This is the last week of the great WHEELS competition in which you have to identify the wheels correctly.

Here's what you have to do:

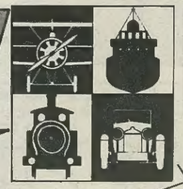
Beneath each of the four illustrations shown are three names of wheels . . . and all you have to do is put a tick in the box beside the one that you think is correct.

This being the final week you, can send in this week's entry together with the other entries of the past three weeks by completing the coupon provided.
If you are a lucky winner, you can win two tickets (one adult, one child) for the Model Engineer Exhibition. Or, for those of you who live too far away to travel to Wembley, you can win an Airfix model of your choice from those listed on the right.

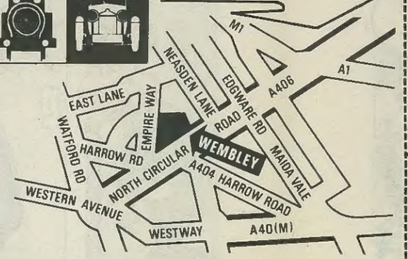
RULES: The first 250 correct entries opened will receive two tickets for the Model Engineer Exhibition. The next 500 correct entries will receive an Airfix model of their choice. Competition closes 4th January 1977. Send your entry to: 4 WAY COMPETITION, Mighty TV Comic, Polystyle Publications Ltd., 382/386 Edgware Road, London W2 1EP. The Editor's decision is final in all matters concerning the competition. No correspondence can be entered into.

AIRFIX MODELS (series 1) TO BE WON ARE...

- SUPERMARINE SPITFIRE
- TIGER MOTH
- GAZELLE HELICOPTER
- FREEDOM FIGHTER
- H.M.S. VICTORY
- SCORPION TANK



Your street guide to Wembley.



Week No.4: 100 tickets plus 50 models to be won!

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Paddle Wheel ☐	Pin Wheel ☐	Motor Cycle Wheel (front) ☐	Crown Wheel ☐
Water Wheel ☐	Escapement Wheel ☐	Motor Scooter Wheel ☐	Spoke Wheel ☐
Steam Engine Drive Wheel ☐	Safety Wheel ☐	Motor Cycle Wheel (rear) ☐	Sprocket Wheel ☐

(complete in capital letters)

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

AGE.....

SIGNATURE OF PARENTS/GUARDIAN
I live too far away to travel to Wembley so my choice of an Airfix model if I win is.....

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Captain PUGWASH

♫THE HOLLY AND THE IVY... ♫

CUT-THROAT JAKE'S SHIP IS IN THE BAY, CAP'N. AS IT'S CHRISTMAS WE SHOULD ASK THEM TO COME ABOARD FOR A PARTY..

WELL, WE CAN BUT TRY...

AHOY THERE, CAP'N JAKE! CAP'N PUGWASH INVITES YOU TO COME ABOARD FOR A PARTY...

TELL HIM WE'LL BE GLAD TO COME TO HIS PARTY...

SO, LATER THAT NIGHT...

MERRY CHRISTMAS ALL!

HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO JAKE & HIS CREW!

LET'S ALL GO BELOW FOR A SING-SONG!

A SING-SONG?

♫...REST YE MERRY GENTLEMEN...♫

YOU'RE OUT OF TUNE, JAKE!

ME OUT OF TUNE! THAT'S FIGHTIN' TALK...

WHAM!

...TAKE THAT!

OUCH!

SO...

BIFF!

BONK!

'TWAS A GREAT PARTY, CAP'N PUGWASH! ME AND MY LADS WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

MAIN.

Basil Brush

CHRISTMAS MORNING...

THAT'S A TINY CHICKEN AND PALTRY PUDDING, GUV!

I KNOW, CHUMMERS, BUT IT'S PLENTY FOR US TWO!

LAST YEAR I WAS SO BLOATED I COULD HARDLY MOVE! THIS TIME I WANT A BRIGHT, JOLLY CHRISTMAS!

OH, WELL, I'D BETTER PUT THIS THING IN THE OVEN!

THERE'S SOMETHING WE MUST DO FIRST!

WE'VE VOLUNTEERED TO DELIVER SOME CHRISTMAS GOODIES THIS MORNING!

WE 'AVE?

WHERE TO? THE 'OSPITAL? THE OLD FOLK'S 'OME?

THE LIGHTHOUSE!

SO...

FINE WAY TO SPEND CHRISTMAS, THIS IS!

STOP MOANING! SOMEBODY MUST KEEP THE LIGHTHOUSE CREW HAPPY!

MIND THE ROCKS, LADS!

CHUMMERS! SLOW UP! *YOU'RE GOING TO...!*

JUMP!

CRUNCH!

OH LUVVUS! THAT'S THE BOAT GORN!

AT LEAST WE AND THE PARCELS ARE DRY!

I'LL GET ON THE RADIO AND CALL THE HELICOPTER TO PICK YOU UP!

SEEMS A SHAME TO DISTURB THEM ON CHRISTMAS DAY!

THEN STAY WITH THE LADS AND ME! THERE'S LOTS AND LOTS OF FOOD!

THAT EVENING...

WE'RE CERTAINLY HAVING A **BRIGHT**, JOLLY CHRISTMAS, CHUMMERS! LET'S HOPE ALL OUR READERS DO, TOO!

Win £1 ...for every joke published!

READERS' JOKES

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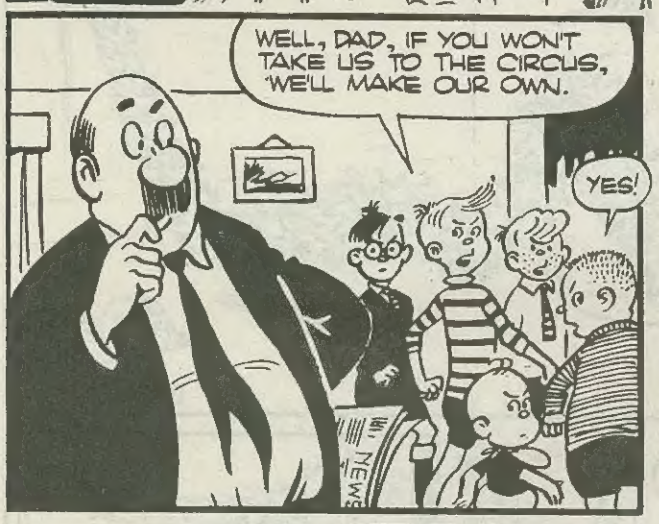
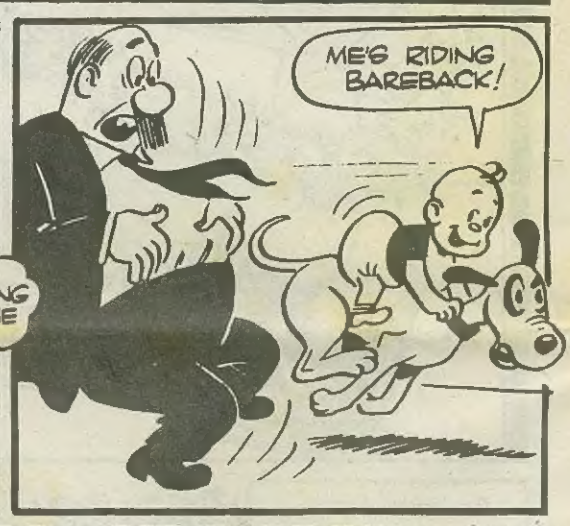
When you send your jokes tell us which are your favourite features in Mighty TV Comic.

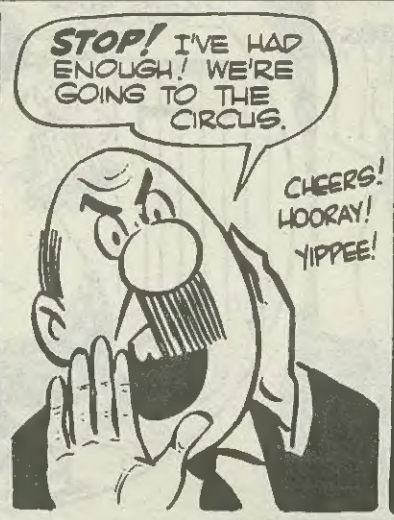
HEY, MUM, THE CAT'S JUST SWALLOWED A BALL OF WOOL—DO YOU THINK SHE WILL HAVE MITTENS?
PATRICIA SMITH, CO—DERRY.
HAVE YOU GOT A SHEEP'S HEAD?
NO LADY, IT'S JUST THE WAY I PART MY HAIR!
LOUISE DAINTER AND SALLYANN, BIRMINGHAM.
I JUST SAT ON A GRAPE
WHAT DID IT DO?
-IT GAVE OUT A LITTLE WINE!!
KIERAN JOHNSTON, BASINGSTOKE.
ALAN COATS, LONDON E.11.
COULD YOU RATTLE YOUR CHAINS ABOUT 7 A.M.? I WANT TO CATCH AN EARLY TRAIN!
DI E at JOE'S
MENU
FISH & CHIPS
HURRY UP AND GET THAT JOB FINISHED!
ELAINE HALL, LONDON S.W.1.
ELAINE HALL, LONDON S.W.1.
I'M NOT COMING OUT TONIGHT— I THINK IT'S TOO WET TO WOO!!
I'M NOT PLAYING ON YOUR ROTTEN OLD GRASS, AM I?
KEEP OFF THE GRASS
MARGARET KEENAN, GLASGOW.
I WOULDN'T DO THAT IF I WERE YOU—IT ISN'T A SNOWMAN!
ELAINE HALL, LONDON S.W.1.

LOCHY THE FUNNY WEE MONSTER

THE BAKERS' DOZEN







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Pink Panther

CHRISTMAS EVE IN THE COMPUTER CENTRE . . .

THANK GOODNESS! IT'S NEARLY 5·30!

WHERE DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOING?

HOME. IT'S 5·30!

YOU'LL HAVE TO WORK THIS EVENING **AND** TOMORROW!

BUT IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME!

CHRISTMAS? HUMBUG!

THESE COMPUTERS COST MILLIONS OF POUNDS! RIGHT?

RIGHT!

THEY DON'T STOP FOR CHRISTMAS! THEY KEEP ON WORKING!

AND IF YOU'RE NOT HERE TO FEED IN THE QUESTIONS THEY JUST WASTE MONEY, SO GET ON WITH IT!

HO-HUM! I'VE GOT TO STAY HERE ALL ON MY OWN OVER CHRISTMAS!

EH? WHAT'S HAPPENING? I DIDN'T FEED IN A QUESTION!

IT SAYS, "US COMPUTERS WISH PINK PANTHER A HAPPY CHRISTMAS"!

AND A HAPPY CHRISTMAS TO YOU COMPUTERS! I'LL JUST GO AND FETCH SOME PARTY HATS AND GOODIES!

SOON...

WE'VE HAD LOTS OF FUN SINGING CAROLS! HAVE YOU ANY OTHER MESSAGES?

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OUR READERS!

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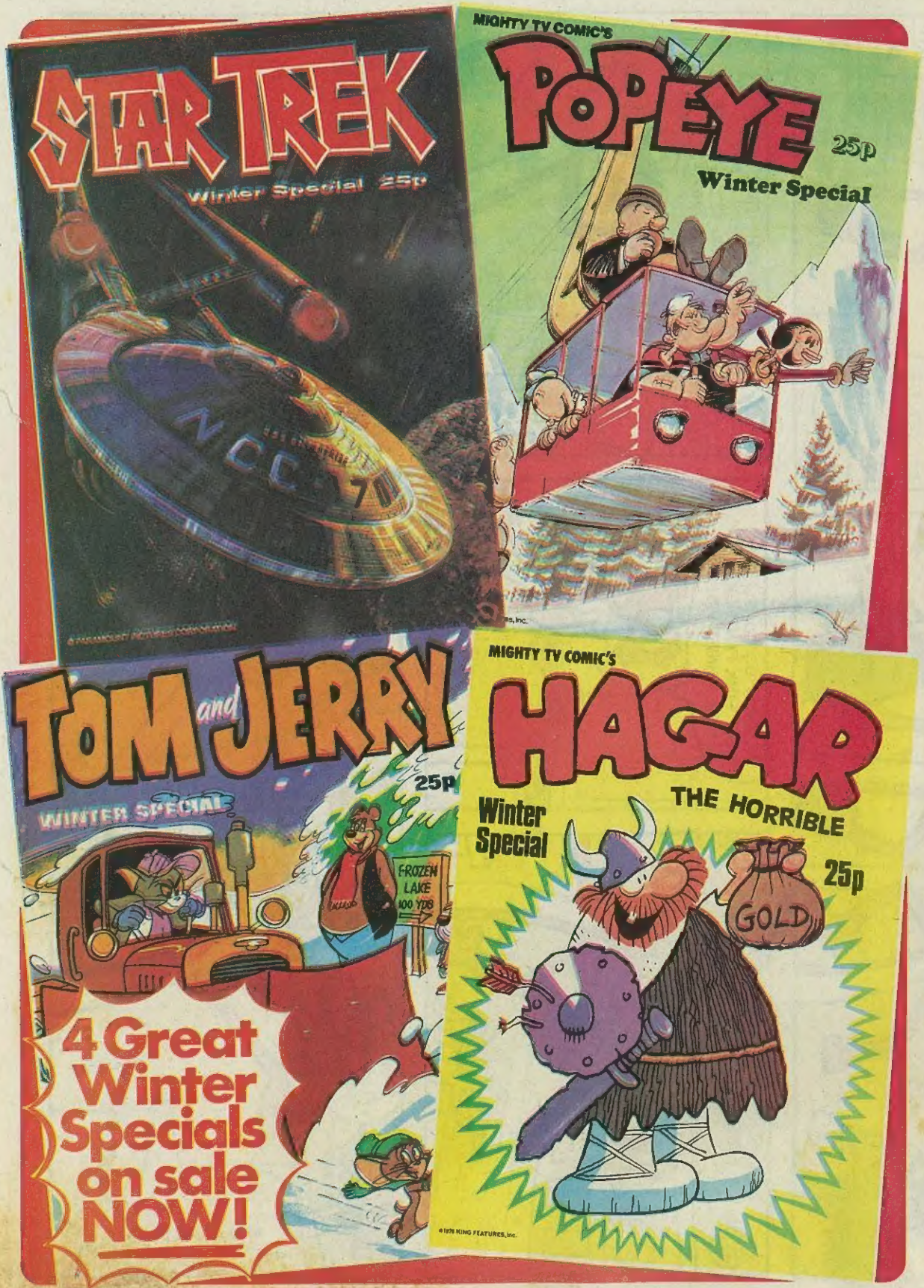
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